

**HISTORIC FIFTH STREET SCHOOL**  
**401 S.FOURTH ST., 89101**

***Soulful Delight***

35th Annual Observance of Black History Month  
Friday, Feb. 7, 8 p.m.-1 a.m.

Tickets \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door.

**Purchase locations: Dula Gym, 441 E. Bonanza Road or the Doolittle Senior Center, 1930 N. J St.**

Calling out all Line and Step dance enthusiasts! Enjoy a night of dancing to Old Skool and R&B music. Everyone is welcome to participate.

**Cash bar hosted by the Arts Factory.**

Call the Doolittle Senior Center at (702) 229-6125 or the Dula Gymnasium at (702) 229-6307 for more information.

**EAST LAS VEGAS COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**250 N. EASTERN AVE., 89101**

***Essay Contest***

East Las Vegas Community Center will offer an essay contest in honor of **Black History Month**. Finalists from each division will recite their essay at an event in their honor. Submit your essay by **Friday, Feb. 7**. All essay are due by 5 p.m. Call (702) 229-1515 for more information. The divisions are:

Fourth and Fifth Grade – minimum 150 words  
**(Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.)**

Middle School – minimum 250 words  
**(Historical African Inventor)**

High School – minimum 400 words  
**(What has changed since the Civil Rights Movement)**

***Black History Essay Contest (Soul Food) Banquet***

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 6 p.m.

Admission \$5

All participants in the contest will be recognized and winners will be announced at the banquet. Call (702) 229-1515 for more information.

**DOOLITTLE SENIOR CENTER**  
**1930 N. J ST., 89106**

***Good Time Fish Fry***

Please register in advance, space is limited.

Thursday, Feb. 6, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Admission \$7

Call (702) 229-6125 for more information

***Mid-Day Inspirational Showcase and Luncheon:***

***Daring to Dream Inspiring Others***

This annual showcase at the West Las Vegas Library Theatre features singing, dancing, poetry and guest speakers.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, 11 a.m.

Free admission and open to the public

Join us at Doolittle Senior Center immediately following showcase for lunch, \$7

Please RSVP by Tuesday, Feb. 5 by calling (702) 229-6125

**GARFIELD RESTAURANT**  
**2620 REGATTA DRIVE, 89128**

***Step Up Spoken Word***

Friday, Feb. 28, 7 p.m.

Admission \$10

This event will feature a night of spoken word hosted by some of the brightest artists in the valley. "Step up" to the mic and share your love of poetry in honor of Black History Month. Co-sponsored by the city of Las Vegas and *Home Away From Home Academy*. Call (702) 229-6125 for more information.

Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department

and the 35th Annual

***Black History Month Celebration***



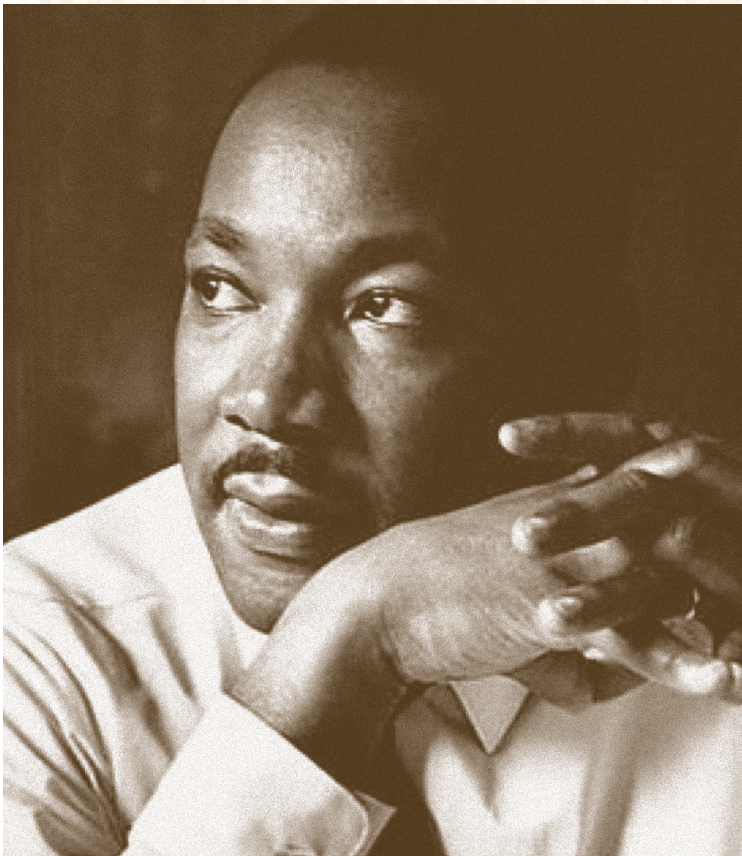
***January - February 2014***



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The city of Las Vegas will host a variety of activities in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day and Black History Month. The city of Las Vegas has participated in King Week activities in many ways over the years, but *The Gospel Showcase* has withstood the test of time and has always been a focal part of Peace Week. 2014 will mark the 35th year the city of Las Vegas has recognized the accomplishments of African Americans both locally and nationally. The Black History Month program is among the longest running annual programs that have been supported by the city of Las Vegas and the community. Activities have included car shows, soul food lunches, art displays, plays, history essay contests, candle light vigils, poetry nights, talent and gospel shows and parades. ***Please join us in celebrating Black History month!***



**WEST LAS VEGAS LIBRARY THEATRE  
951 W. LAKE MEAD BLVD., 89106**

**Peace Week 2014:  
Celebrating the Legacy of Dr. King  
Daring to Dream Inspiring Others**

Sunday, Jan. 19, 2-3 p.m., Film and slide-show presentations  
3-5 p.m., Presentation/Showcase

Join us for Peace Week 2014 in honor and tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., his life and legacy. Hosted and co-sponsored by the city of Las Vegas and Trinity Academy of Arts, under the direction of artistic director, Monica Armstrong. For more information, please call the West Las Vegas Library at (702) 507-3989 or the city of Las Vegas, Cassandra Lewis at (702) 229-6125. Free and open to the public.

**Harriet's Return  
Based Upon the Legendary Life of Harriet Tubman  
(teens and adults)**

Starring Karen Jones Meadows  
Friday, Jan. 24, 10-11:30 a.m.  
Free admission and open to the public

This remarkable, award-winning theatrical production chronicles the private and public life of famed Underground Railroad conductor, spiritual icon, and revolutionary Harriet Tubman, whose life spanned nine decades and still influences the consciousness of people around the world. Journey from Harriet's childhood to her final days as she weaves her story. Portrayals of more than 30 colorful characters take the audience from contemporary America into the depths of Ms. Tubman's soul, the psyche of a nation, and a call to action. The play's style is unique, engaging and empowering for people of all ages and cultures. ***Harriet's Return*** is an official event of the National Underground Railroad Network to Freedom Program. The event is cosponsored by the Las Vegas – Clark County Library District. For more information, call (702) 229-4800 or visit the city of Las Vegas Office of Cultural Affairs website at visit [www.artslasvegas.org](http://www.artslasvegas.org).

**The World Famous Ink Spots Concert (all ages)**

Saturday, Feb. 15, 3 p.m.  
Free admission and open to the public

The faces may be different, but the sound remains the same. These four Ink Spots – Lou Ragland, Edward “Coco” Stancil, Fleury Bursey and Yusef Sudah – sing the songs generations have heard and loved, as well as new ones of their own. Enjoy these hits and more: *If I Didn't Care*, *Java Jive*, *I Don't Want To Set the World on Fire*, *We Three*, *Do I Worry?* and *Which Ever Way the Wind Blows*, their latest release. The event is cosponsored by the Las Vegas-Clark County Library District. For more information, call (702) 229-4800 or visit the city of Las Vegas Office of Cultural Affairs website at visit [www.artslasvegas.org](http://www.artslasvegas.org).

**CITY HALL  
495 S. MAIN ST., 89101**

**African-American Leaders in the Community Breakfast**

By invitation  
Jan. 22, at 7:30-8:30 a.m.  
City Café, second floor. Breakfast precedes City Council meeting  
Please RSVP at (702) 229-2330

**WEST LAS VEGAS ARTS CENTER COMMUNITY GALLERY  
947 W. LAKE MEAD BLVD., 89106**

**Afternoon of Jazz with Freddie Jackson**

Saturday, Feb. 22, 2 p.m.  
Free admission and open to the public

Enjoy classic video concerts featuring all-star legends of jazz in their finest form such as Earl Hines, Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Louie Armstrong and Lionel Hampton. Please join host, Freddie Jackson, “The Doctor,” 91.5 KUNV while he explores musical moments in jazz history following commentary over tea and music. For more information, call (702) 229-4800 or visit the city of Las Vegas Office of Cultural Affairs website at visit [www.artslasvegas.org](http://www.artslasvegas.org).

